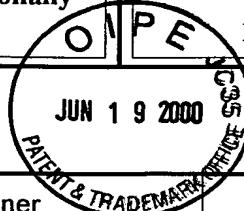


Petition For Revival Of An Application For Patent Abandoned Unintentionally  
Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) (Small Entity)

Docket No.  
PPL-11102/08

In Re Application Of: LAUDENBERG, Bernd



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APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION

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- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee--required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1.  A proposed reply to the above-identified Office Action:

is enclosed.  was filed on \_\_\_\_\_

The proposed reply is in the form of: Amendment

2.  The issue fee:

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3.  A small entity declaration:

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4.  The abandoned application was a:

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6.  Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

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Enclosed are the following fees:

7.  Petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(m) in the amount of: \$605.00

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11.  Continuing application filing fee in the amount of: \_\_\_\_\_

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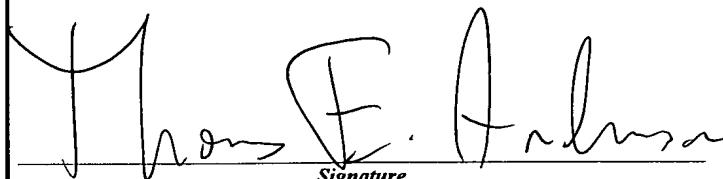
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**Statement**

The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.



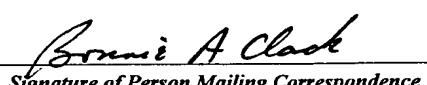
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